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AGENDA ITEM: Regional Director's Report

BACKGROUND: The Regional Director will present updates since the last Regular Meeting and on upcoming events.

RECOMMENDATION: The Regional Director is providing this attachment for information purposes only.



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August 2013 Director's Report

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San Carlos Apache Regional Partnership Council

General Updates

- **Collaborative Newsletter**
 - Get yours TODAY!
- **Service Coordination Strategy**
 - The Collaborative met on July 31st. (*Minutes attached.*)
- **Regional Director's Collaborations & Committee Work**
 - First Things First Tribal Technical Advisory Group:
Tribal Consultation August 15th at 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at the First Things First Board Room, 4000 N. Central Avenue, 8th Floor, Phoenix, AZ 85012. Topics: First Things First Evaluation Plan and Quality First Program Model Changes.
- **Regional Benchmarking Update**
 - The first conversation we had scheduled for the June Regional Council meeting has been pushed back to a later date as First Things First continues to work with all Tribal Governments regarding the use of tribal data for regional benchmarking.
 - There is still time to review the 3 Regional Benchmarking Webinars. A link to the webinars was sent out by E-mailed to each Regional Council member.

San Carlos Apache Early Childhood Development and Health Collaborative Meeting

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September 25th at
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Boys & Girls Club of the
San Carlos Apache
Nation



Early Childhood Summit

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August 25-27th
Phoenix Convention
Center